

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 2900 - SB 2829**

February 11, 2020

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires a judge to notify at the time of sentencing, if any conviction is eligible for expunction, the defendant's eligibility and the time period after which a petition to expunge may be filed.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-35-302(j), a judge shall, at the time of sentencing, notify a person convicted of a misdemeanor offense that is eligible for expunction of the person's eligibility to have all public records of the conviction destroyed and the time period after which the person can petition for expunction of the offense.
- Expanding this practice to any offense that is eligible for expunction will not have a significant impact to state or local government expenditure.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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